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TO DRIVE IT OUT

Jap Guns Will Drive the Russian Fleet
From Port Arthur

JAPANESE GUNBOAT SUNK

Japanese Train Service to the Troops
at the front has been Established.

The Baltic Squadron.

THE ARMY AND THE RAILWAY.

Karaki's headquarters in the field, undated, via Tien T'in, Sept. 30, evening.—The most interesting military problem at present is how large a Russian army the railway can support in Manchuria. While the army is south of Harbin almost all the necessary food supplies can be obtained in the country, but the farther north it gets the more it must depend on the railway; while at the same time the Japs will gain an advantage by having an increased area to draw from. The richest section of Manchuria is the country of which Liao Yang is the principal market, and the crops in that section this season are unusually large. Merchants who are acquainted with the country believe that if General Kuropatkin should retreat to Harbin he must bring nearly every pound of food by means of the railway.

JAP TROOPS IN FINE FORM.

The organization of the Japanese army continues to be as efficient as it has been since the beginning of the campaign. Most of the troops were equipped with winter clothing when the first cold weather and snow arrived. The railway will be operated to Liao Yang within a week and through trains will be running to the front from Dalny and New Chwang. The harvesting is progressing slowly in the fields in front of the Japanese army as there is a scarcity of labor owing to the employment of the coolies by the Japanese army. The thick millet has nearly all been reaped and there is now little more than bare plains.

RUSSIANS TO BE DRIVEN OUT.

Chefoo, Oct. 3rd.—Efforts by the Russians to retake possession of the ground commanding the water supply at Port Arthur resulted in hard fighting, the losses on both sides being reported to have been heavy. The Japanese retained the contested ground. It is said that heavy guns newly mounted threaten the Russian warships in the harbor of Port Arthur, which may now be forced to go out and face the fleet of Admiral Togo.

JAP GUNBOAT SUNK.

There is a report that a Japanese gunboat was sunk by coming in contact with a mine south of the Liao Tung Peninsula. The report adds that a portion of the crew were rescued.

The Japanese have completed the changing of the gauge of the railway from Dalny to New Chwang and its equipment is nearly finished. This will be of great assistance to the armies in Manchuria.

The Russian admiralty has decided to dispatch the Baltic squadron in the direction of the far east within a short period of time. Events are expected however to determine whether the vessels shall proceed to their destination or return to Russian ports to await reinforcements.

Tokio, Oct. 2.—It is rumored that a Japanese gunboat struck a mine and sank south of the Liao Tung peninsula. A portion of the crew reached an island and were rescued. The gunboat is unknown. The navy department does not deny the rumor but says the department lacks information.

Chefoo, Oct. 2.—A 90 ton junk from New Chwang to Shanghai ran on a mine 95 miles north of Chefoo last night. No one was injured. The junk was kept afloat by water tight compartments and reached Chefoo with all available hands working at the pumps.

JAP TRAIN SERVICE ESTABLISHED.

General Oku's headquarters in the field, Oct. 1, via Fushan, Oct. 2.—The first Japanese train has arrived at Liao Yang. The gauge of the railway has been changed from Dalny to New Chwang. A regular schedule of trains will be established in a few days. Engines and crews have been brought from Japan. The completion of the railway removes the entire problem of transportation of supplies and ammunition to the Japanese forces in the field. To-day's train brought a quantity of ammunition, also telegraph and railway supplies.

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Northern Gold Output

Seattle, Sept. 29.—The Alaska season for 1904 is closed so far as shipments are concerned. The Pacific Coast Steamship Company has received advices from the White Pass and Yukon railroad not to accept any more freight for interior points in Alaska beyond White Horse as the company will not be able to handle them.

All the north coast lines are preparing for the rush of newcomers from all points in Alaska. They are beginning to arrive now, and boats are preparing to leave for the last trip of the season to Nome, St. Michael Dutch Harbor, Cook inlet and other calling places along the south-eastern coast. There are a few shipments of treasure yet to come out. On the White Pass this has been a good season for gold.

The gold production of the northern district for the present year is estimated as follows:

Klondyke, \$11,000,000.
Nome, \$10,000,000.
Tanana, \$2,000,000.
All other districts, \$3,000,000.

The Thresher Tells the Tale Farmers' Advocate:

Of late, there is a growing opinion common to many farmers in Manitoba that the true story of damage to wheat by rust has never been published. This is borne out by the threshing returns from several districts in which the yield is very much less than was anticipated even at cutting time, and the quality not what was expected. In discussing the situation a short time ago with the Farmers' Advocate, Mr. R. C. Henderson, a large farmer at Calross, a member of the Provincial Grain Growers' executive, and a man of moderate views, said: "I do not believe the actual yield in Manitoba will be over twelve bushels per acre and a considerable percentage of that will not be fit for export. Mr. Henderson said that he had had letters from several grain growers' associations in different parts of the province, and the reports were not nearly so favorable as the daily news being published regarding the crop would indicate. He believed that the announcement made by the Winnipeg grain dealers upon their return from a trip of inspection through the province a few weeks ago was substantially correct at that time, but a great change had taken place in the condition of the crop as to the amount of damage done by rust after that date.

The harm is all done now, and there is no use withholding the facts. Unduly favorable reports can do nothing but keep the prices down and the producer needs every cent that he can get for his crop. A survey of the wheat supply of the world begins to indicate even higher prices, but whether the grain grower will get what is coming to him will be, as usual, another question. There is absolutely no rust in the Edmonton district, and the crop is turning out splendidly and of the best samples. Threshing returns show the grain—wheat, and also oats and barley—better than it has been for years.

Inspected the C.N.R.

Free Press:

Mr. E. A. James, manager of the Canadian Northern Railway, returned to the city yesterday from the North-West, where he had accompanied Mr. Collingwood Schrieber, deputy minister of railways, on his trip over the new C.N.R. extensions. In addition to Messrs. Schrieber and James, there were in the party, Mrs. Schrieber and Miss Crombie, of Ottawa, and Mr. H. M. Rowell, K.C., and Miss A. Howell, of Winnipeg. They travelled on the Edmonton line to within a short distance of Humboldt, east of Saskatoon, and thence via Dauphin and Melfort, on the Prince Albert line, covering in all some 1,900 miles of railway. Mr. and Mrs. Schrieber and Miss Crom-

bie proceeded west by the C.P.R. on Tuesday morning. The deputy minister is highly impressed with the fine territory that is being opened up by the western extension of the C.N.R. and considers it the richest and most extensive tract that he has seen in Western Canada. He was particularly enthusiastic over the country between Dauphin and Humboldt, including the Quill Plains on the Edmonton line and the region of which Melfort is the centre. The party enjoyed excellent chicken and duck shooting. It is said that Mr. Schrieber's inspection of the C.N.R. lines is preliminary to the company taking over portions of the newly constructed road and transferring them to the operating department.

Curling Club

The Semi-Annual meeting of the Curling Club will be held on Wednesday evening

October 5th,

At 8 o'clock at the Tank. All members are requested to be present. Important business in connection with the club will be dealt with

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FRATEFIAL

CANADIAN ORDER OF FORESTERS
Court Edmonton of the above Order will meet in Unity Hall, Sandison Bldg., Jasper Avenue, next Wednesday, Aug. 1st, at 8 p.m. Any who wish to join are requested to apply to Bro. J. G. Montgomery, Chief Ranger, Bro. L. O. Hooper, Financial Secretary, or to any other officers of the Court.

PAINTERS' UNION.

Local Union No. 1016, of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America, meets every Thursday evening at 8 p.m. opposite Windsor hotel, First street. F. W. Trecott Secretary.

K. O. F.

Jasper Lodge No. 6, Knights of Pythias, R. Hooley, Chancellor Commander; J. E. Graham, Keeper of Keys and Records. Lodge meets second and fourth Thursday in each month, in Houston's hall.

B. & M. I. U.

Bricklayers and Masons International Union No. 1, Alberta, meets every Friday at 8 p.m. in Garley's Hall.

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MASONIC.

Jasper Lodge No. 78, Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons, meets the second Monday in every month in Masonic Hall, Second street west. Dr. C. H. Stuart Wade, W.M.; R. W. Day, Secretary.

Edmonton Lodge No. 53, A. F. & A. M., meets the third Thursday in every month. W. G. Ibbotson, W.M.; R. Hooley, Secretary. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

A. O. F.

Court Beaver House No. 7866, Ancient Order of Foresters, meets first and third Thursday in every month in Houston's Hall. Visiting brethren always welcome. W. Hencher, Chief Ranger; R. Kenneth, Secretary.

L. O. G. F.

Friendship Lodge No. 7, Independent Order of Oddfellows, meets in Houston's hall every Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Chas. Campbell, N.G.; Geo. E. Ellis, Rec. Sec.

S. O. B. B. S.

The Sons of England Benefit Society Lodge Edmonton No. 254, meets on the first and third Monday in each month in Sandison's Hall at 8 p.m. A. W. ROBSON, A. H. BENNETT President. Secretary.

L. O. L.

Loyal Orange Lodge No. 1794 meets second and fourth Mondays in each month in Houston's Hall, at 8 p.m. Harry Nash, W.M.; J. D. Maveety, Recording Secretary.

W. O. W.

Edmonton Camp No. 155, Woodmen of the World meets 1st Thursday of each month in Unity Hall, Sandison's Block. A. R. Dunbar, Con. Com.; F. S. Watson, Clerk.

CARPENTERS' UNION.

Edmonton Union No. 1325, of United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners meets in Unity Hall, Sandison block, every Friday night at 7.30. W. A. Day, Pres.; A. B. Jones, Sec.

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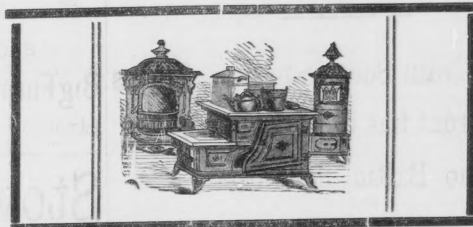
Edmonton Typographical Union No. 204, meets in Garley's Hall on the first Saturday in each month at 7.30 p.m. President, H. R. Davison; Secretary, J. D. Maveety.

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THE RAILWAY—FOR OR AGAINST?

The general elections are announced. On Thursday, Nov. 3rd the people of Canada will give their sanction to the men and measures of their choice. On that day they will declare by their individual votes who shall be the government of the country for the succeeding parliamentary term of five years. By deciding who shall be the government, they decide the line of policy to be pursued by that government. Between elections the people individually have only indirect means of swaying the policy of the government, having by their votes at the previous election expressed their wishes and delegated their powers to their representatives. But on election day the people individually are the government and their word is law. When the last ballot is counted the last word has been said as to who shall govern and to what purpose they shall govern for the next five years. Between elections the government is responsible for everything, but on election day the voter is in control and is personally responsible.

There are, and well may be, occasions when the decision of the electors is merely as between men rather than as between measures. As has frequently been said: between the ins and the outs. The present is not such an occasion. A question of the highest national and (especially in the west) individual importance is the occasion of the election. The life of parliament does not expire for another year, the government has a majority of nearly two to one in the house. There are no reasons or circumstances which render an election more expedient now than a year hence, except the one of securing the mandate of the people for the immediate construction of a competing transcontinental railway. That is the issue and the only issue. It has been so defined by both political parties in and out of parliament, and upon the decision of the electors on Nov. 3rd the fate of that project absolutely rests.

The position of the Government is clear and well defined. They have made an arrangement for the construction of a railway from the Atlantic to the Pacific within seven years. Half of this great road the Government will build and own. The other half the Grand Trunk Pacific Company will build and own. Government ownership of the eastern section from the prairies to the sea means the lowest possible rates on grain and goods in, and company ownership of the western section from Red River to the Pacific means active and effective competition to all important points throughout the West. The arrangements for the construction of the railway have been before the public for nearly a year and a half, and have stood every test of criticism. The Grand Trunk Railway Company, one of the largest, most important and best managed railway systems in the world, has undertaken the construction and operation of the western

half of the railway, and has already made the necessary surveys, and has deposited with the Government a million dollars in cash as security that it will be completed within the time and according to the terms agreed upon. The Government is pledged to construct the eastern section as rapidly as possible, and has already started the necessary surveys. As far as human affairs can be assured, the endorsement of the present Government by the election of a working majority of candidates supporting their railway policy on November 3, assures the immediate commencement and early completion of a second Canadian transcontinental railway, giving development and competition especially to that part of the West of which Edmonton is the commercial centre. On the other hand the return to power of the party of the opposition means—as far as the solemn declaration of the party leader, speaking in his place in parliament on this question can mean anything—that the bargain made with the company for the construction of the railway will be repudiated, even though damages would have to be paid because of such repudiation. Nothing could be stronger or more definite than such a declaration made under such circumstances. It must therefore be accepted in its full force and effect.

The vote on November 3 is therefore a vote for or against the railway. Not only an expression of opinion of the electors, but a mandate issued by him which cannot be revoked and the force of which cannot afterwards be lessened.

To no other part of the Dominion of Canada does the completion of this project mean as much as to the town and district of Edmonton. Lands and town property have been valued on the strength of the early construction of the Grand Trunk Pacific. The inception of the project has added hundreds of thousands, and indeed millions to the value of all real estate. The completion of the road would establish firmly and still further increase that value. The rejection of the project at the polls would mean the absolute and immediate destruction of half the value at which property is now held in this district. Every elector in the district knows this. A vote against the railway is a vote to take money out of his own pocket if he owns any land, and to reduce his opportunities of making money if he has none. The Edmonton district has been calling for railway development ever since the first survey of the C.P.R. through this district in 1874. Thirty years ago our prospects were as good, to say the least, as they are now. They are not yet realized. The Grand Trunk Pacific will realize them to the full if at any time within those thirty years the people had been asked to vote for or against the railway, they would surely have voted for it. That is what they are being asked now. It is for the individual voter on November 3 to say the word which decides whether we go forward or go back.

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MORINVILLE	15th
JOSEPHSBURG	17th 7 p.m.
BRUDERHEIM	18th 1 p.m.
STAR	18th 7 p.m.
WOSTOCK	19th 1 p.m.
ANDREW	19th 7 p.m.
PAKAN	20th 1 p.m.
WHITFORD	20th 7 p.m.
SODA LAKE	21st 1 p.m.
WARWICK	21st 7 p.m.
MONASTERY	
Sec 10-53-16-4	22nd 1 p.m.
ROSS CREEK	22nd 7 p.m.

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Strathcona Plaindealer.—It is generally believed that the Beaver is extinct in this locality, therefore it will be somewhat of a surprise to many to learn that a colony of beaver is building a dam on Mr. Quebec's farm, which is situated about twelve miles northeast of here. On Sunday last they were particularly busy, and felled a tree about nine inches in diameter. These busy beings have a considerable amount of work done and are making timely preparations for the winter, which, from indications is expected to be a severe one.

Plaindealer.—Mr. John Stewart, of Rabbit Hill, met with a painful accident on Wednesday evening, last, while assisting his brother, Mr. Tom Stewart, in moving his shingling outfit up the hill at the White Mud crossing. Mr. Stewart threw a stick under the drive wheels of the traction engine as it was running backwards down the hill to prevent it going over the side of the grade. The stick broke in an instant, and one end struck him with such force that it snapped off both bones of the lower right leg just above the ankle. Mr. Stewart was brought to town without delay and had the injured member set. He is now resting as comfortably as could be expected at the home of his brother, and hopes to be as good as new in due course.

Wetaskiwin Post.—The site of the new elevator being erected for the Alberta Grain Company on Railway street east presents a busy appearance now. The company have got their new engine installed before building operations commence in earnest, but the material for the main building is now crowding on to the ground and the foundation is all ready. We shall probably see the new elevator raised in a few days.

Chronicle.—Mr. F. B. Berthammer, a farmer who lives eight miles west of Leduc, lost everything in a fire which consumed all the buildings, pigs, fowls, and even the woodwork of well several feet down. The fire occurred on the morning of the 22nd inst., while everyone was busy working on the farm. How it started no one knows. Loss estimated at \$800. Insurance in the British American.

Chronicle.—D. Bray, of Bruce Grove, has just turned 65 head of cattle on a 60 acre field of as fine flat wheat as one would wish to see either in Alberta or elsewhere. It was sown about a month since and is several inches high. His neighbor, Mr. Gabel, has a 30 acre field adjoining that looks quite as good.

Free Press.—Mr. J. W. Stewart, who is at the Mariaggi, states that the railway construction work which he has charge of in the west will be completed this coming month. This includes the 25 miles Lacombe extension, the 25 miles Wetaskiwin extension, the ballasting of the C.P. 31 extension from Arcola to Regina; the Morse cut-off between Moose Jaw and Swift Current; and the 60 miles extension of the Kirkella branch, west of Lipton. The company finished the 40 miles to Pleasant Hills and is now going on with an additional 20 at the desire of the C.P.R.

Plaindealer.—Mr. Robt. Kerr, general traffic manager of the C.P.R., and Mr. W. C. Bowles, of Calgary, assistant general freight agent of the western division, made a business visit to Strathcona on Monday. Among other matters considered was that of increased freight accommodation here. The present sheds are altogether inadequate. It is probable that the capacity will be doubled in the near future.

VEGREVILLE

Farmers in this district have all their crops cut and are busy stacking. In this they were a little delayed on account of some wet weather last week. Evidence shows that there will be an early threshing.

All are finding a market for their oats at the construction camp of the C.N.R., from Bowtell's to Lloydminster.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fordham has been brightened by the arrival of a baby girl.

Great preparations are being made for the annual fall fair of the Beaver Lake and Vermillion Valley Agricultural Society.

The Rev. Gerald Card, has arrived to take charge of the Church of England mission in the Vermillion Valley. This district has heretofore been part of the Beaver Lake Mission, but it was found to be too large to be properly worked. Not only does Mr. Card bring the highest recommendations from the bishop, but ripe experience of similar work elsewhere.

The Governor-General, with his escort, camped on the night of the 12th about one mile from the village at the Vermillion river.

Mr. St. Hilaire is building to the Grand Central hotel.

The homestead inspector was here last week and few appearances many settlers proved up.



The Canadian Northwest Homestead Regulations

Any one numbered section of Dominion Lands in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, excepting 8 and 28, which has not been homesteaded, or reserved to provide wood lots for settlers, or for other purposes, may be homesteaded upon by any person who is the sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years of age to the extent of one quarter section, of 160 acres, more or less. ENTRY.—Entry may be made in the district in which the land to be taken is situated, or, if the homesteader desires, he may, on application to the Minister of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, or the local agent for the district in which the land is situated, receive authority for some one to make entry for him. A fee of \$10.00 is charged for a homesteaded entry.

HOMESTEAD DUTIES.—A settler who has been granted an entry for a homestead is required by the provisions of the Dominion Lands Act and the amendments thereto, to perform the conditions connected therewith, under one of the following plans:

(1) At least six months' residence upon and cultivation of the land in each year during the term of three years.

(2) If the father (or mother, if the father is deceased) of any person who is eligible to make a homesteaded entry under the provisions of this Act, reside upon a farm in the vicinity of the land entered for by such person as a homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent, may be satisfied by such person residing with the father or mother.

(3) If a settler has obtained a patent for his homestead, or a certificate for the issue of such patent, counterbalanced in the manner provided by this Act, and has obtained entry for a second homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence prior to obtaining patent may be satisfied by residence upon the first homestead, if the second homestead is in the vicinity of the first homestead.

(4) If the settler has his permanent residence upon farming land owned by him in the vicinity of his homestead, the requirements of this Act as to residence may be satisfied by residence upon said land.

The term "vicinity" used above is meant to indicate the same township or an adjoining or cornering township.

A settler who avails himself of the provisions of Classes 2, 3, or 4, must or substitute 20 head of stock, with buildings for their accommodation, cultivate 30 acres of his homestead, and have between 80 acres substantiated.

The privilege of a second entry is restricted by law to those settlers who have completed the duties upon their first homesteads to entitle them to patent on or before the 2nd June, 1899.

Every homesteader who fails to comply with the requirements of the homestead law is liable to have his entry cancelled, and the land may be again thrown open for entry.

Application for patent should be made at the end of three years, before the local agent, sub-agent, or Homestead Inspector. Before making application for patent the settler must give six months' notice in writing to the Commissioner of Dominion Lands, at Ottawa, of his intention to do so.

Information.—Newly arrived immigrants will receive at the Immigration Office, in Winnipeg, or at any Dominion Lands Office, in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories, information as to the lands that are open for entry, and from the officers in charge, free of expense, advice and assistance in securing land to suit them. Full information respecting the land, timber, coal and mineral lands, as well as respecting Dominion Lands in the Railway Belt in British Columbia, may be obtained upon application to the Secretary of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa, the Commissioner of Immigration, Winnipeg, Manitoba, or to any of the Dominion Lands Agents in Manitoba or the Northwest Territories.

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Frank H. Kitt's returned from a visit to Vegreville on Saturday night.

The fair on Friday was a great success. Weather was fine and the display especially of grain and vegetables was excellent.

A grading gang of 60 men and teams began grading on the Canadian Northern line six miles north east of Vegreville on Wednesday, Sept. 28th. J. A. McArthur, the contractor and Mr. McFarlane, the engineer, were present. This is an advance party. The intention is to grade across the wide and shallow depression in which the Vermillion flows, this fall, while the weather is dry, so that in case of high water next spring there will be no delay.

The end of the C. N. R. grading operations to the eastward is about 60 miles east of Vegreville. Potatoes, oats and other supplies are being shipped by team to the contractors from Vegreville. Threshing is being rushed to supply the oats required by the railway works.

As soon as the railway grade takes substantial form and the station is definitely located, the whole village of Vegreville will be moved to the new site. The buildings will be taken across the prairie easily. There are three general stores, two implement agencies and all the various buildings that make a thriving prairie town.

Stacking is nearly completed, and threshing is in progress. Crops are good. The sample is excellent, but owing to poor seed the yield will not be heavy.

Amongst the visitors to the fair were noticed the following from Edmonton:—F. H. Kitt; Don McIntyre; A. McNish; W. R. Richardson; E. Manchester; J. F. Jones.

From Strathcona, O. H. Bush; H. Herick, J. McKenzie. From Fort Saskatchewan, W. J. Hunter and Percy Blois.

Keep the Plough Going. Farmers' Advocate.

Owing to the harvest being late this year, it begins to appear as though fall ploughing will not be far advanced when winter comes, unless open weather continues later than usual. The month of October will be a busy one on every well managed Western farm. Threshing and marketing the grain will claim the attention of a large force, but no opportunity of keeping the plough going should be lost. When early and late sowing of wheat are compared for a great many years, the advantages are greatly in favor of placing the seed in the soil at the earliest possible opportunity. A week's difference in sowing often decides whether the crop will yield a profit or not. If, therefore, the bulk of the ploughing is not done this fall, it will be out of the question to expect to finish sowing in good time next spring. There is, of course, some excuse in favor of spring ploughing when the previous fall has been a very dry one, and the land in consequence too hard for successful tillage. This year, however, few farmers in ploughing will have any difficulty in this respect. It may be said, too, that in the drier districts it is an advantage to have the snow lie on the fields during winter, and melt in springtime, a condition that cannot be had with ploughed land as com-

pared with stubble. Yet, the advantages of having the crop sown early are so very important that everyone should plow every acre he can this fall.

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—The Ponoka Agricultural fair will be held on October 18.

—Alberta College opened this morning with a good attendance.

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—Rev. John Morrison will deliver a lecture on "That Boy" this evening in the College avenue Methodist church.

—Mr. Kennedy, of Bow, Dawson, Kennedy and Hyndman, received the news of the death of a brother on Friday last.

—Howard Stutchbury is conducting a singing class in Strathcona. A singers' club, with Mr. Stutchbury as conductor, has been organized.

—The monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Edmonton Presbyterian church will be held to-morrow evening at Mrs. Kinross's.

—Dr. C. H. Stuart-Wade will deliver a lecture on Masonry, its History and Aims, in the Masonic Hall this evening. All members are invited to be present.

—The regular meeting of the Knights of Pythias will be held this evening in Houston's Hall. Important business will come up and all members are requested to be present.

—The Confederate Spy will be produced in the Thistle Rink to-morrow evening. The play is being given by local talent, and is deserving of a good audience. Seats are being rapidly taken at Archibald's Drug Store.

—Corp. Harbottle and Chas. Rae arrived in the city Saturday evening from Lloydminster. Mr. Harbottle went in charge of ten scores of oats for the C.N.R. from John Ross & Co. and made a splendid trip. The railway wants 5,000 bushels more shipped to them this fall.

—Frank Oliver will deliver an address to his friends and supporters in his committee room on Tuesday evening, October 4, at 8 o'clock. He would like to have the opportunity of meeting all friends and supporters at this meeting, as he will shortly have to be in other parts of the constituency.

PERSONAL

W. W. Sharp, of Wetaskiwin, is in the city.

J. G. Blewett, is in the city from White Whale Lake.

Geo. B. Heavood, of Wetaskiwin, is in the city to-day.

W. J. McNamara, Wetaskiwin, spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hull, of Calgary, are in the city to-day.

C. Matt, of Winton, Ont., arrived in the city on Saturday evening.

Ray Father Leane and Rev. Father Ledue left for Calgary this morning.

Miss Whitelaw, of Woodstock, Ont., is visiting her cousins, Dr. and Jas. Whitelaw.

Bishop Reeves, of the Mackenzie river district arrived in the city Saturday evening.

Rev. Father Bernier, Superior of the Vegreville R. C. Mission left this morning for Calgary.

F. Burns, the well-known Calgary cattle man spent yesterday in the city, returning to Calgary this morning.

J. S. MacDonald, district superintendent of the Government telegraphs, left this morning for Qu'Appelle.

Frank H. Kito arrived in the city Saturday evening, from Vegreville, in which district he spent the past couple of weeks.

Miss Eleanor Taylor, daughter of A. Taylor, postmaster, returned last week from attending college, at Berthier, Quebec.

Mrs. Tall and family, of Strathroy, Ont., arrived in the city on Saturday evening, to join her husband who has been located here for four months.

J. E. Armstrong, who came in from Owen Sound, Ontario, has been in Edmonton for two months and is delighted with it. He has purchased a fine lot on Victoria av.

Mrs. Chris, Stanton and son, of St. Thomas, Ont., arrived in the city Saturday night to join her husband here, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Creamer Second street.

Mrs. Wallbridge will receive for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday and Thursday of this week at her residence, Seventh street, and afterwards on the first Friday of each month.

Mrs. Mitchell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Sommerville, returned this morning to Portland, Oregon.

K. D. L. Powell moved into his new house on Namaya avenue this morning.

FROM THE NORTH

A number of northern traders arrived in the city on Saturday evening. They were Jas. Hislop of Hislop and Nagle, Port Resolution; Chas. Hilker, who is in charge of Hislop and Nagle's post at Resolution; and Fred Rothwell, and H. J. Fraser, of Resolution. Hislop and Nagle's furs will arrive in the city in a day or two.

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